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SUBJECT: TRADE ACT OF 1974 -- GUINEAN ELIGIBILITY FOR GENERALIZED

PREFERENCES

REF: A. STATE 051555; B. STATE 023113

1. TO EMBASSY'S KNOWLEDGE THERE ARE NO OUTSTANDING NATIONALIZATION OR ARBITRATION CASES WHICH MIGHT AFFECT GUINEA'S ELIGIBILITY FOR GSP'S UNDER 1974 TRADE ACT. DEPT'S RECORDS AND KNOWLEDGE OF PAST CASES INVOLVING TEXACO, AND COMPANIES SUCH AS MACK TRUCK AND AIR ALSAKA WHICH INVOLVED AID, ARE GREATER THAN EMBASSY'S. THERE ARE ALSO A FEW COMPANIES SUCH AS PAN AM AND SINGER WHO HAVE LOCAL CURRENCY ASSETS THAT CANNOT BECONVERTED OR USED HERE.

2. WE UNDERSTAND THAT TEXACO IS PLANNING TO RENEGOTIATE PAYMENT TERMS FOR CERTAIN OF THEIR FACILITIES NATIONALIZED SEVERAL YEARS AGO, BECAUSE OF GUINEAN NON-PAYMENT, BUT TEXACO HAS NOT INFORMED THE EMBASSY OF ANY PARTICULAR PROBLEM WITH THAT CASE, AND THE COMPANY IS REPORTEDLY PLANNING A SLIGHT EXPANSION OF ITS CURRENT STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES HERE.

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